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#### **CENTRAL VALLEY WATER BOARD ASSISTANT EXECUTIVE OFFICER ISSUES \$82,500 COMPLAINT TO CITY OF REDDING FOR RAW SEWAGE DISCHARGES TO JENNY CREEK**

REDDING - The Central Valley Water Board Assistant Executive Officer has issued an Administrative Civil Liability Complaint to the City of Redding for raw sewage discharges from the Jenny Creek Elevated Sanitary Trunk Sewer during October 2007.

The city's consultant, in May 2006, reported that the Jenny Creek Elevated Sanitary Trunk Sewer "was in extremely poor condition and needed to be either rehabilitated or replaced." The city failed to repair or rehabilitate the sewer line in a timely manner, resulting in the line's failure in October 2007. The line collapse and failure resulted in the discharge of between 20,000 to 64,000 gallons of raw sewage into Jenny Creek.

The Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board is a California state agency responsible for preservation and enhancement of quality in water resources and may consider the complaint at its regular public board meeting on June 11 or 12, 2009.